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Memorandum for the Record

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EVENT: MEMBER BRIEFING

DATE: 06/15/2004 TIME: 14:30 STATUS: COMPLETED

PLACE: S-407 CAPITOL

FOR:

SUBJECT: THREAT UPDATE

ATTENDEES:

ASSOCIATION

NAME

ROLE

DCI/OCA

CLINTON, HILARY

SEN

DCI/OCA

SCHUMER, CHARLES E [D-NY]

SEN

FBI

MOSKOWITZ, STAN

SUPPORT

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Executive Summary:

Summary Text:

(U//FOUO) At the request of Senators Schumer and Clinton, TTIC, FBI and DHS (Liboutti), provided a current threat update briefing focused on New York.

[redacted] began the briefing by providing a general outline of the current threat to date so that the New York piece could be placed in proper perspective. She covered the fact that al Qa'ida continues to desire an attack on the U.S. and will do so when they feel they have the greatest chance of success.

(S) Senator Clinton requested a review of the material that specifically talks to threats [redacted]

[redacted] (FBI) and Mr. Lubutti (DHS) inserted their respective pieces regarding actions taken to protect nuclear facilities in the U.S. [redacted]

(S) Senator Schumer questioned how much New York is mentioned in comparison to other cities in the U.S. Dawn replied New York and Washington D.C. are at the top of the list for threats.

(U//FOUO) FBI and DHS then each provided their segments on respective actions taken to thwart terrorist attacks on the Homeland.

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(U//FOUO) Senator Clinton opined to DHS that it would be helpful if the Department could provide a weekly threat update to the American population rather than as has been the case with periodic, sensationalized events. She believes this will keep the message more consistent and in the back of peoples minds.

Nothing further.

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Follow-up Action Items:

Additional Information:

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